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In re application of: Dean Kamen, Robert R. Ambrogi, J. Douglas Field, John D. Heinzmann, Richard Kurt Heinzmann, and Christopher C. Langenfeld

Application No.: 10/617,608
Filed: July 11, 2003
For: Motion Control of a Transporter

Group No.: 3611
Examiner: Luby, M.



RESPONSE UNDER
37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP
3611

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AMENDMENT OR RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION--TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment after final rejection (37 C.F.R. 1.116) for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(a) and 1.10*

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EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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TOTAL	6	MINUS	33	= 0	x	\$ 50.00	= \$	0.00
INDEP	1	MINUS	4	= 0	x	\$ 200.00	= \$	0.00
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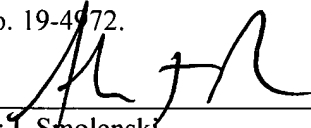
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FEE DEFICIENCY

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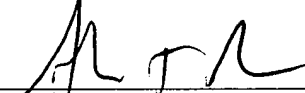


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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116-EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

EXAMINING GROUP 3611

Dear Sir:

In response to the final office action dated August 25, 2005, Applicants submit the following amendment in order to place the pending claims in condition for allowance or in better form for consideration on appeal.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.